

November 22, 2010

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 Twelfth Street, S.W.
Washington, DC 20554
Via Electronic Filing

Re: *Ex Parte* Presentation, WC Docket No. 07-245, GN Docket No. 09-51

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On November 19, 2010, Bob Ritter of Crown Castle, George Vinyard of ExteNet Systems, Norine Luker of NextG Networks, Divitta Alexander of Phillips Lytle LLP, Ray Rothermel of Sprint Nextel Corporation, and Brian Regan and the undersigned of the DAS Forum, a membership section of PCIA—The Wireless Infrastructure Association (“Parties”) met with William Dever, Jeremy Miller, Wes Platt, and Jonathan Reel of the Wireline Competition Bureau.

The Parties discussed the integral role of wireless infrastructure—specifically Distributed Antenna Systems (“DAS”)—in the effort to achieve the Commission’s broadband and wireless goals. The Parties urged the Commission to ensure that wireless attachers to utility poles have guaranteed nondiscriminatory access to poles and pole tops with timelines and rates as close as possible to those of wireline attachers. The Parties also discussed the effectiveness of existing standards governing wireless antenna attachments to utility pole tops, and the lack of evidence of safety or reliability issues caused by wireless antenna attachments to utility poles including pole tops. The attached slides were circulated among FCC staff during the meeting.

Pursuant to Section 1.1206 of the Commission’s rules, a copy of this letter will be filed via ECFS with your office. Please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned with any questions.

Sincerely,



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